SOUTHSIDE FAIR WILL GET \$12,000

Appropriation Granted by Petersburg Council After Lively Debate.

OTHER MATTERS ACTED ON

Hospital Directors Meet-Grand Knights of Pythias Officers Expected.

109 North Sycamore Street, Petersburg, Va., February 8. The Common Council held a lengthy session last night, adjourning just before midnight. In addition to the usual the month, etc., several matters of interest come up for consideration.

The Finance Committee submitted a

report recommending an appropriation of \$12,000 to the Southside Virginia Agricultural and Industrial Association for the erection of buildings on the Fair Grounds at West End Park. This report caused a lengthy and somewhat lively discussion, but the appropriation was finally made.

The report of the Board of Police

Commissioners, submitting bids for the establishment of a police patrol system in Petersburg, and recommending the adoption of the Dean electrical flashlight system met with strong and carnest opposition, sufficient to defeat it, and referred the whole matter to special committee to further advise with the commissioners. The police commissioners have been at work for five years for a patrol system, and some months ago had full tests of the merits of three companies made here, resulting in the indorsement of system and its recommendation to the Council for adoption. The bid of the Dean Company was \$6,958, and oners asked for an additional appropriation for the purchase of an automobile patrol wagon.

lead to the resignation of one or more if not all the members of the board.

The report of the fire commissionasking for an appropriation of will \$20,000 for the enlargement and im- will be taken from the three n the hands of the Finance Commit- gestion in those institutions. to be reported on at the March

A communication was received from the Mayor, asking for the payment of tion.

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ANNOUNCE THAT CATALOGUE No. 103, FOR THE SPRING AND SUMMER SEASONS, IS NOW READY FOR DELIVERY AND A COPY WILL BE MAILED ON REQUEST.

Fifth Avenue, 34th and 35th Streets, New York.

walls of the James building on Sycaroutine business in connection with the various municipal departments, business municipal departments, Mayor again urged the appointment ordering the payment of all bills for of a building inspector, and the enact ment of a proper building ordinance The message was received and ordered to be recorded. Its recommendations will be acted on later.

Maturing Bonds.

Bonds of the city of Petersburg to the amount of \$165,000 mature in June, and they will be retired in cash from the Sinking Fund, which held: nearly \$700,000 in money and valuable securi-ties. A resolution providing for the sale of certain of these securities to retire the maturing bonds was passed by the Council.

Receipts and Disbursements The report of the City Treasurer sent to the Council last night showed that the cash receipts for the month of January were very light-only \$5.627.58. while the expenditures for the mont! were \$32,409.43. February is a heavy paying interest month, and the dis-bursements for public improvement are large, while the income from taxes and other sources at this season is small.

The quarterly meeting of the Gen in connection therewith the commis- Hospitals was held at the Central State Hospital to-day, Commissioner Bonseman presiding. teen members were present, besides Dr DeJarnette, of the Western; Dr. J. If not all the members of the board.

President A. G. M. Martin this mornIng sent in his resignation to take

Dr. A. F. Priddy, of the Epileptic ColDr. A. F. Priddy, Reports show King, of the Southwestern; Dr. W. of the Central Hospital, and at Lynchburg. quested by many friends to withhold 3,877 patients in the four State hos-It temporarily at least. The other two members of the board are William A. total of 4,227. It was decided that the Epileptic Colony, at Lynchburg, shall be opened for patients in March. efficiency of the department, is State hospitals, thus relieving the con-The Central Hospital and grounds

were thoroughly inspected by the board Dr. Brunk, superintendent of the the contractors bill of \$350 for pulling Eastern State Hospital, announced to didate for re-election this year, as he

the attennion present.

The special board decided to esk that item will be included.

for bids for the erection of a building.

The Finance Committee has recommended that it be rejected as an un-

Grand Officers Expected. Grand Lecturer A. L. Lucas, of Richmond, Grand Keeper of Records and the annoyance of those who regularly use the breathing spaces on summer other officers of the Grand ...odge, nights. Knights of Pythias, will attend the Pythian anniversary celebration in this city on February 15.

man, died this morning at the nome of her brother-in-law, John F. Plumfor a bond issue for streets will be too mer, on Pine Street. She had been ill for some time. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Joseph A. Strachan, and Provision must also be made for a several sisters.

on Old Street, last evening. He was over sixty years old.

The Whirlwind Campaign.
The whirlwind campaign to lift the \$12,000 debt on the Washington Street M. E. Church, which was begun on Monday, will be concluded to-morrow The amount raised up to last night was \$7,590. The subscriptions to-day largely increased this amount, and the canvassers expect to-morrow evening to report sufficient to cancel the entire debt. The campaign has been re-

markably swift and successful. General News Notes. Tobacco sales yesterday and to-day aggregated nearly 400,000 pounds, and t prices ranging from \$5 for commo: ugs to \$35 for fine wrappers. The Petersburg Grays will meet on Monday night to elect a second Heu-

enant to fill a vacancy. ut of Second Ward, has resigned his seat in the lower branch of the Counil, and Horace Tucker has been elect-

Corporation's viaduct across the valley it from Sycamore Street to the corporation's property in Prince George, has to make the change. Four years ago I been given to the Roanoke Iron and abandoned the coffee habit and began to

of steel and correte

Dealers in coal and wood have formed an agreement to sell on a cash basis only, placing all purchasers on the children are allowed to drink it neely as they do water. And it has done us all great good.

"I no longer suffer from indigestion, and

the same toeting.
Milford Miller, colored, aged fourtien years, while circlessiy handling
a shotgun at his home on Piamingo
Avenue yesterday, accidentally caused Avenue yesterday, accidentally caused its discharge, a nortion of the load intering the thigh of his ten-year-old invigorates but supplies the best of nour-brother William. The wound is not converged by the con very serious.

Qualifies to Practice.

John R. Johnson, at one time clerk to the revisers of the Code of Virginia of 1887 and a widely known attorney, with an office at Christiansburg, where he is associated with Judge A. A. Phiegar, qualified to practice law in the City Circuit Court yesterday.

BUDGET PROVING KNOTTY PROBLEM

Demands Far Exceed City's Revenues, and Much Pruning Is Needed.

PAY-ROLL IS BURDENSOME

Recent Bond Issues Loading City With Heavy Annual Interest Charges.

The budget subcommittee spent sev eral hours last night working over its first draft made according to he statetheir actual needs, the budget exceeded by about \$159,000 the probable revenues for the year, and that draft, according to Chairman Pollard, of the Finance Committee, contained nothing for new school buildings, nothing for smooth paving and nothing for a new Obviously, the pruning knife is to be vigorously applied before the ap-propriation ordinance is reported for

The Finance Committee is sharply feeling the drain of the continued increases in salaries and pay rolls. Both in almost every department in the government have been increased the past three years, the process of in

creasing salaries being continuous de-spite every effort to hold within the both the Committee bounds made by or Ordinance, Charter and Reform and the Finance Committee. In the past year a number of new positions have been created, though comparatively few salaries have been

In the past year a number of new lossitions have been created, though continue to make the sever his connection with the service.

Special Board in Session.

A meeting of the special board of the Competition was treated. There are between 1,500 and 1,500 a

necessary expense and affording a doubtful advantage through bringing use the breathing spaces on summer

While there is little chance for smooth paving in this year's budget, Two Deaths Reported.

Miss Ida T. Strachan, an accomplished and much beloved young woman, died this morning at the home man, died this morning at the home Avon W. Moore, an old citizen and Confederate veteran, died at his home, buildings will probably be done one comprehensive policy of school buildat a time, thus spreading the appro priation over a longer period than th

School Board proposed.

The continued issue of bonds during the past four years for sewers, elec tric plant, high school, annexed terri tory, gas works rehabilitation an water mains has laregly increased th annual charge for interest and re demption of city bonds, the total cos of interest and redemption last year having been \$168,608.08, an increas of \$77,464.40 over the previous year.

EASY CHANGE When Coffee Is Doing Harm.

A lady writes from the land of cotton of the results of a four years' use of the food beverage-hot Postum.

food beverage—hot Postum.

"Ever since I can remember we had used coffee three times a day. It had a more or less injurious effect upon us all, and I myself suffered almost death from 188 and I myself suffered almost death from od in his place.

The city is installing an electric indigestion and nervousness caused by it.

"I know it was that, because when I pump at the water works, at a cost of \$2,800. Its capacity is 1,800 gallons would leave it off for a few days I would per minute. feel better. But it was hard to give it up, even though I realized how harmful was to me.
"At last I found a perfectly easy way

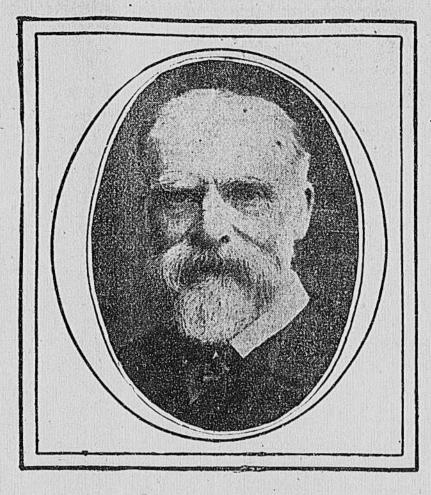
Bridge Company, at a figure approximately \$41,000. The structure is to be of steel and coverete.

my nerves are in admirable tone since I began to use Postum. We never use the old coffee any more.

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Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

There's a Reason. Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human

WILL BRYCE SUCCEED WOODROW WILSON?



AMBASSADOR JAMES BRYCE.

Reported That British Ambassador Has Been Offered Presidency of Princeton University. Denials of Story Are Made.

Cincinnati, Ohio, February 8 .- For- committee of the board of trustees of ton University has been made to James said that the committee had met sev to the United States, accoring to the and that who is a resident of this city.

Washington, D. C., February 8.-The eport that the presidency of Prince-

mal tender of the presidency of Prince-on University, has been made to James to choose a new president. The latter Bryce, ambassador of Great Britain eral times, but had come to no decision, Times-Star to-day. It is claimed that been mentioned at the meetings. Amthe information came from an influen-tial alumnus of the Eastern School, on the report.

No Decision Made. Princeton, N. J., February 8,-Inquiry here shows that the presidency of Princeton University has not been ton University had been offered to Am-bassador Bryce, of Great Britain, was decision in the matter is not expected denied to-day by a member of the by university efficials.

AMUSEMENTS

Academy—"The Girl in the Taxi." Bijou—Hanton's "Superba!" Lubin—Vaudeville.

"The Girl in the Taxl"
An event of the present theatrical season will be the appearance in this city of that far-famed and sensational-Ity successful play, "The Girl in the Taxi," which comes to the Academy to-night, "The Girl in the Taxi" may aptly be referred to as the "big scream" of the year," for wherever it has been presented it has caused

THE WEATHER.

Forecast: Virginia—Cloudy Thursday: Friday fair, not much change in temperature; light to moderate, varia— We observe t Thursday; Friday probably fair; light to moderate, variable winds.

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audiences to laugh almost to the point of hysteries.

of hysteries.

Dancing, singing and musical specialties form pleasantly diverting features of "The Girl in the Taxi," and the company of players engaged to present this laugh-producing entertainment is composed entirely of comedians of the first rank.

The fun is said to start with the rise of the first curtain, and the pace set is a fast one. Situations and complications occur which are so screamingly funny that the audience has little opportunity for breathing spells.

Scenes Aglow in Natural Colors.

The colors of nature depicted with the utmost fidelity in scenes of world-wide scope is the alluring prospect for patrons of Lyman H. Howe's travel testival at the Academy to-morrow night.

Mr. Howe has for many years been famous for the quality and realism of

Mr. Howe has for many years been famous for the quality and realism of his travel festival. But not content to rest on his laurels, his new program represents the last word in animated photography, It depicts scenes in the colors of nature. Of the exquisite beauty of the views one wight, well supply Lord Byron:

"To those who have seen, all words are faint,
For those who have not, no pen can paint."

York, fought a hard six-round draw nefore the American Athletic Club in this city to-night.

Although the New Yorker had a

fashionable, political, financial and historic London; spectacular dynamiting of big buildings in Messina; building and launching an ocean palace, the White Star liner Olympic; landing passengers in a rough sea at Tunis; dissolving portraits of prominent Americans; a dangerous though bloodless built fight in Spain, comprise only a few of the many other big features on the new program.

gast tried all the tricks of the trade to reach his opponent, rushing and to reach his opponent, and the reach his opponent and to reach his opponent, rushing and to reach his opponent, rushing and to reach his opponent, a

It make Chiengo.

We observe that "society was at the Bernhardt play" Monday night, and are free to confess that we expected nothing less. We note it merely to call attention to the fact that Time, which has circled so kindly around the wonderful Sarah, has dealt generously with our community. Without withering the charms of madame, it has ripened us.

It must be remembered that carly in hour acquaintance with Mme Bernhardt culture was a tender bud in this prospering community, and our most agreement were harried by the fear that it could not grow. When Eugen Field wrote his "Oon Criteck de Bernhardt" it was apparent that delicate roots were reaching timidly into the soil, and that with care a flourishing bloom might be expected.

Mme. Sarah, if she were interested enough to have the morning prints have observed not without a pardonnel have the morning prints have observed not without a pardonnel have the morning prints have observed not without a pardonnel have been started as to whether a line contained a "bong mo" or a "Judy spree." — in uncertainty, the harrowing doubt of those early years, has been resolved into the pleasant positiveness of a secure intelligence.—Chicago Tribune.

As Wolgast became more accustomed to Brown's style, he fought in much better form.

Digger Stanley, champion hantam weight of England, was defeated by Tommy O'Toolé, of this city; Joe Jean-ette had the advantage over Jim Barry. Tommy O'Toolé, of this city; Joe Jean-ette had the advantage over Jim Barry. Tommy O'Toolé, of this city; Joe Jean-ette had the advantage over Jim Barry. Tommy O'Toolé, of this city; Joe Jean-ette had the advantage over Jim Barry. Tommy O'Toolé, of this city; Joe Jean-ette had the advantage over Jim Barry. Tommy O'Toolé, of this city; Joe Jean-ette had the advantage over Jim Barry. Tommy O'Toolé, of this city; Joe Jean-ette had the advantage over Jim Barry. Tommy O'Toolé, of this city; Joe Jean-ette had the advantage over Jim Barry. Tommy O'Toolé, of this city; Joe Jean-ette had the advantage over Jim Barr

Bryant—Dalton.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Danville, Va., February S.—Miss Sallie P. Dalton, of Ringgold, and Otis W. Bryant, of Kentucky, were married here this afternoon at the residence of Rev. G. C. Smith, on North Main Street. In the presence of only a few intimate friends and relatives. The couple will reside at Kentuck.

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Fire Board.

President Robert Whittet, of the Board of Aldermen, issued yesterday a call for a joint session of the Board of Aldermen and Common Council o be held next Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock, preceding the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen, for the purpose of electing a Fire Commissioner from Marshall Word to suc-

missioner from Marshall Ward to succeed Captain G. Watt Taylor.

Marshall Ward is divided. There seems no hope of healing the breach, and there is some possibility of a deadlock in the Council. The candidates in the field are former Alderman John. Mann. Jr., N. Thomas Mosby and Joseph Sorg, Mr. Sorg has the indorsement of a majority of the members of the ward delegation, though no caucus has been held and none will be called, since several members have stated that they would not be bound by it. Mr. Mann will certainly have two members of the delegation, and his friends claim that he has already pledged a safe majority in the Board of Aldermen and a large vote in the Council. A majority in each branch is necessary to elect.

Friends of Mr. Mosby, while admitting that he has lost in the ward delegation, are hoping that he may yet win through as a compromise candidate if there is a deadlock between the two branches. Several jubilant Mann men are claming that his election is assured on the first ballot, and claim to have sufficient votes pledged in both branches. The Sorg forces have not conceded defeat.

Wolgast and Brown Fight Before Philadelphia Athletic Club.

Philadelphia, Pa., February 8 .-Wolgast, lightweight champion of the York, fought a hard six-round draw

This is well proven by the trips through indo-China and the Gorges de L'Ardeche, France.

A ride on a dirigible bailoon over Switzerland; another on the swiftest motor-boat in the world, the Ursula, of \$60-horsepower; a ramble through fashionable, political, financial and historic London; spectacular dynamiting of big holds with the content of the c

As Wolgast became more accustomed to Brown's style, he fought in much

play. The first half ended; Carolina, 15; Davidson, 8.

Davidson threw two goals in the first minute of the second period, thus coming to within three points of Carolina and did not permit a heavier lead the remainder of the game. The fighting was flerce, Davidson showed more skilful floor work, and had hard chances. Carolina was heavier, and made good on easy chances, and fought more fiercely in pinches.

White and McDuffie featured for

Davidson. The whole team for Caro-lina featured, with Tillet and Smith doing spectacular work and Ritch was strong on defense. The line-up: Carolina-Carrington; centre; Tillet, Smith, forwards; Ritch, Captain Hanes guards.

Davidson-McAllister, centre; White McDuffle (captain), forwards, Howell Coan, guards.

CURTAILMENT PROBABLE.

Cotton Manufacturers of North Carolina Meet at Raieigh,
Raleigh, N. C. February s.—The
Cotton Manufacturers' Association of North Carolina met here this morning Huntington, W. Va., July 15, 1910,

spindles being represented

cotton manufacturers concerning the child-labor bill and other legislation concerning mills, including insurance egislation and taxation. The commit-Marshall Ward Pilitics Seething

Over Fight for Place on

Fire Board.

The committee this afternoon presented its views

to a joint legislative committee on the matter of child labor in the mills, that the present laws were sufficient and were being observed.

At the night meeting there was a discussion of the matter of curtailment of the output, and the statement was made that many mills were now curtailing up to 33 1-3 per cent. The consensus of opinion was that if trade conditions did not improve that there would be a further curtailment in all the mills of the State.

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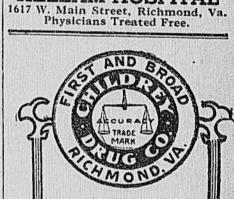
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